

All Hopes Of Early Peace Ended by the Chancellor's Speech

**British Officials Indignantly Resent
Attempt of Hollweg To Put The
Responsibility Upon The Allies**

PEACE MORE REMOTE THAN EVER

BY ED. KIEN
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London, Dec. 10. (By United Press)—Chancellor Von Hollweg's speech in the German Reichstag has practically put an end to all talk of an early peace so far as Great Britain is concerned. Several high officials interviewed by the United Press today said the declaration of the German Chancellor should convince even the most ardent pacifist that the end of the war is not in sight.

The London newspapers not only took the same view but a certain portion of the press declared that the peace prospects are now more remote as the result of Hollweg's speech than at any time since the war began. British officials interviewed today indignantly resented the attempt of the German Chancellor to throw responsibility for continuance of the war upon the allies. They said that the Chancellor's speech was plainly designed for home not foreign consumption and construed to be an effort to appease the growing demand in Germany for peace. There statements and the attitude of the London press correctly represented the attitude of the nation.

London, Dec. 10. (By United Press)—Angry comment in the London press today on the German Chancellor's speech were mingled with sarcastic shots at declarations that "the Chancellor merely repeated the old bluff and brag." If there were a long-sighted statesman in Germany he would contrive to arrive at a settlement that would leave his country a menace to the world. The leader of the German people is determined to rush on to irresistible destruction. The allies will read the Chancellor's speech with grief and satisfaction, said the Daily Press.

The Chronicle answered the German socialist Dr. Scheidemann's declaration Europe would be turned if the war continued and that the only victor would be the United States. "That of course is a reflection which Germany might well have taken to heart before plunging Europe into the war," said the Chronicle, "but it is not an argument for stopping the war at the moment when its ending would be most advantageous to those who provoked it."

By Carl W. Ackerman
Berlin, Dec. 10.—Socialist members of the Reichstag decided in public caucus today that the reply of Chancellor Von Behmann Hollweg to peace query was entirely satisfactory. They voted that there was therefore no reason for hostility toward government "whose enemies have been continually speaking that it favored annexation." This resolution it is understood passed the caucus by a large majority, a few radicals, including Dr. Liebknecht dissenting.

**NEW DANCE ORCHESTRA
FORMED IN CLEARFIELD**

The Guelich's Reconstructed Orchestra Making it Four Pieces

Last evening at the second dance of the Assembly club, a new orchestra of Guelich orchestra played for the first time in public. In the past the orchestra has been composed of only two pieces, the piano and the drums but realizing the need of a larger orchestra in Clearfield, Dutch Guelich has secured the services of a well known musician of the city and is now ready for other dances.

Brain Kester, one of the best violinist in town and an expert in music, and Charles W. Guelich, of the Fifth Regiment band and an accomplished clarinetist, are the new members of the orchestra. Many guests at the dance last evening are all of the same opinion that this new orchestra plays a fine dance music of any orchestra in this section.

In some positions if you are on the spot one minute before the best arrives, you are early; one minute after he arrives, you are late. The successful man never waits until the last minute.

Sweaters for men and boys, all colors and styles, from 95c to \$6.00. At Minkin's.

NEW CHILD LABOR LAW TO GO INTO EFFECT JANUARY 1

**Two Kinds Of Employment
Certificates Necessary
Under Cox Act**

Six Tons of Paper Received Upon
Which Forms and Certificates Will
be Printed.

Harrisburg, Dec. 10.—Six tons of paper has been received by State Printer Ray upon which he will print the new forms and employment certificates, made necessary by the enforcement of the Cox Child Labor Act, on January 1.

There will be two kinds of employment certificates necessary under the new law; General and Vacation. General certificates are for those boys and girls between the ages of fourteen and sixteen who want to work the entire year; the Vacation certificates are for those who want to work only on the days when the Public Schools are not in session.

Besides the working certificates, there are many forms that must be filled out and filed. A boy or girl who wishes to secure a general working certificate, must first of all get a signed promise of work from the prospective employer. This agreement states, that the employer will give the child a position and that the child will be permitted to attend a continuation school at least eight hours a week.

The next step is to procure from the teacher of the school the child has attended a certificate of scholarship, which must show that he attended all the grades equivalent to six grades of the public schools, and has a liberal education in the English language, spelling, reading, arithmetic, geography and history of the United States.

The teacher also furnishes the child with a medical examination card which must be filled out by a physician approved by the district wherein the child lives. The physician thoroughly examines the boy or girl and testifies as to his or her physical ability to do the work selected.

Then evidence of age must be secured from the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the city or township where the child was born. If the bureau can not supply the correct age of the child, then a baptismal certificate or a transcript of the record of the baptism may be obtained from the pastor of his church.

All these certificates must then be taken to the employment certificate office and be presented for approval or disapproval. If the officer in charge approves, then the general certificate will be issued by the school district. This is not given to the boy, but is sent to the employer who keeps it on file all of the time the boy is working for him. When the boy leaves, the certificate is returned by mail to the employment certificate office.

Three days after the employer receives the certificate, he fills out an acknowledgment form and sends it to the officer who issued the working permit.

Four days after the boy goes to work the employer fills out another form, which he sends to the school authorities, showing the days of the week, time of day, and the school that the boy will attend.

The Vacation Employment certificates must be secured in the same manner as a General Certificate, except that it will not be necessary to obtain a school report.



GERMAN SOLDIERS NOW USING INDIVIDUAL SEARCHLIGHTS.

More and more as the war progresses is it evidenced that, so far as Germany is concerned, the most modern appliances which the inventive genius of the Kaiser's forces can devise, are being used to good purpose in the German lines, both in the trenches and on the battle front. The photo shows one of the most modern of the inventions—a portable searchlight. This searchlight, small as it is, is a remarkably one. When not in use it is taken apart and distributed among five men of the company.

LARGE INCREASE IN ARMY WANTED BY WAR COLLEGE

Part of Program Adopted by President and Sec. Garrison

Washington, Dec. 10. (By United Presses)—Increase of the United States standing army to 253,500 men is the recommendation of the army war college. Its long awaited military reorganization plan made public today provides for stupendous appropriations beginning with \$503,000,000 next year extending over eight years. The army experts recommended continental reserves of 500,000. Adoption by Secretary Garrison and President Wilson of only part of the plan is understood from the report.

The war college plans to have the continentals enlisted for three years active service and three years in reserve was incorporated by Garrison in his program. The army officers recommend a mobile army for continental United States alone of 121,000 with an eight year enlistment, two years active and six reserve.

SCHOOL BUILDINGS CLOSED FOR FUMIGATION TODAY

Dorothy Dietzel of Bigler Avenue
Contracts Scarlet Fever

This morning on room in both the Fourth ward and Third ward school buildings and the entire high school were dismissed until Monday morning in order to fumigate the buildings which was made necessary by a case of scarlet fever.

Dorothy Dietzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dietzel of Bigler avenue children being students in the ward building, took sick yesterday afternoon and this morning it was found that she had contracted scarlet fever. On account of two other Dietzel children being students in the other buildings, it was thought most advisable to dismiss the students from these buildings until they could be thoroughly fumigated. In all probability school will again take up Monday morning.

"MAUD'S COMMAND"

At Baptist church this evening at eight o'clock. Do not miss it. Pie social and good time following. Come help the Baptists. They need you.

FORMER CLEARFIELD BOY DIES TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7

Word was received yesterday by friends in Clearfield of the death of Grant Smith, Tuesday afternoon, December 7 at his home in Pasadena, California. The deceased was a son of John Smith of Nichol street.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. M. E. Smith four sisters, and two brothers, Mrs. Sarah Rollin, Mrs. Mary Shaw, Mrs. Jennie Larimer, Mrs. Louis O'Neil, Clayton and Hartwick Smith.

without going to work at all, or after working a brief period quit for a year or more of idleness.

In some cities employment certificates have been found passing for twenty-five cents currency between children at "craps" in the alleys.



EDWARD V. SAUNDERS.

Chairman of the Democratic Caucus of the House who recently announced that he was opposed to increased appropriations for National defense.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

This marked the 180th day since England's entrance into the war. Serbian troops forced the Austrians back upon Belgrade with heavy losses. Bulgarian Minister Panaretov said Bulgaria would not fight with the allies unless territory taken after the second Balkan war, was returned.

SECOND BASKETBALL GAME OF THE SEASON TONIGHT

Y. M. C. A. Team Meets the Strong
Osceola Big Five

This evening the second basketball game of the season at home will be played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium between the local association team and Osceola Big Five. The game will be one of the fastest and closest of the season, and will also be very interesting owing to the fact that the Osceola team defeated Clearfield at Osceola about a month ago by only one point.

The Clearfield team demonstrated their ability to put up a strong game, last week when they played the Tyrone five. Several new candidates have come out for the team this week and in all probability one of them, a former High school star, will get into the game. The team is one of the best that ever represented the local association and promise to the people who attend a most interesting and exciting game. Game called at 8:15. Admission 25 cents.

F. G. HARRIS KILLS THREE PRONGED BUCK YESTERDAY

According to the latest reports from the mountains, the Crystal Springs camp have five large bucks strung up in front of their camp at present. Hon. F. G. Harris secured the fifth yesterday, a large three pronged buck, near the Panther rocks. This makes the fifth buck in five successive seasons that Mr. Harris has secured.

Mackinaws for men and boys. Many styles and patterns to select from. Prices range from \$3.50 to \$10.00 and every one a bargain. At Minkin's.

URGENT REQUEST FOR AID COMES TO CLEARFIELD

Women Will Make Surgical
Dressings for Hospitals
in Warring Countries

Branch of Pennsylvania Surgical
Dressings Committee Formed in
Clearfield—Work Will Soon be
Started.

A branch of the Pennsylvania Surgical Dressings committee has been organized in Clearfield, for the purpose of making surgical dressings out of Old Linen and cotton pieces for the wounded in Europe.

This is a national organization that has been working in the larger cities but on account of the great demand is being extended to the smaller towns.

Although these supplies are to go to other countries we feel we are organizing a real working committee, in case we should ever need it in the United States.

Any individual or organization that is interested in this work is cordially invited to work with the committee. Patterns and dimensions can be obtained by calling any member of the committee.

We are needed in places where the hospital is larger than the town. No one in America has any conception of these hospitals—ten beds, twenty-five beds, dozens in one town perhaps, wherever there is a room large enough in a school or private house. We have got to have our things in bulk here from which we can ship at a day's notice. Battles come and things are needed then an dthere, and not two months afterward. Furthermore, we can't stock a hospital ahead. We may ship them things for "les grandes blesses" and they may suddenly fill up with "malades," or convalescents. We have got to receive a special order and fill it in forty-eight hours from Paris or some other place here. A hospital is here today and evacuated tomorrow and we in America can't know it.

There are wagon-hospitals that carry around tents, establish themselves in one place for a time, demand supplies, and are gone, merged with another, back to the base fifty miles away.

"There is a great supply of dressings already here, which comes daily from England, but the demand outstrips it. They started this war behind with supplies, and they never can catch up. I have studied conditions here for a month, in, out, and everywhere, and I can truthfully say that your Surgical Dressings committee is one of the most perfect and sensible things now going. You are accomplishing much because you are concentrating."

The committee is composed of: Mrs. A. O. Smith, chairman, Miss Ella C. Shaw, Mrs. H. F. Wallace, Mrs. Richard Kennard, Mrs. F. B. Irwin, Mrs. John Martin, Miss Virginia W. Bigler, and Mrs. F. B. Row.

There will be a meeting of the committee at Mrs. A. O. Smith's on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, December 14th. All who are interested in this work are asked to come to this meeting and help arrange for work along this line of surgical dressings.

DANCE—Christmas Eve afternoon and evening in the Opera House. "Dutch" Guelich.

Two Persons Killed and One Lynched Stricken Hopes

**Italian Goes Insane Over Loss
Money--Residents Spend Night
Terror Guarding Treasures**

WEALTHY MEN PLANNING NEW

MONTENEGRINS ARE FACING MENACE OF NATIONAL OBLIVION

**Austria Determined Upon Conquest
And Subjugation
Of Small Empire**

Turkish-Montenegrin Feud one of the
Longest, Most Bitter and Relentless
in History of World.

Washington, Dec. 10.—"Montenegro, upon whose conquest and subjugation the Austrians are said to have determined, is distinguished in history as the constant, irrepressible, fanatic, midjet face of the Turkish Empire," begins a statement last issued by the National Geographic society, which reviews the tumultuous history of the Black Mountain people who, today defying greater powers than the Turk, are facing the menace of national extinction and oblivion. The primer continues:

"The Montenegrins, as a people, were born of the fierce struggles that preceded Turkish mastery of the Balkans. In the middle ages, Montenegro belong to the Serbian kingdom. Over the battlefield of Kosovo (1889), the Serbian state was swept away. The Prince-ruler of Montenegro, of royal Serbian blood, gathered his mountaineers about him, together with the remnants of the folk who fled from the plains, and began the centuries-long, deadly drama of the Turkish-Montenegrin feud, one of the longest, most bitter and relentless feuds of history.

"Wave after wave of Ottoman invasion dashed its force in vain against the inaccessible black mountain country, and, between the times of Turkish efforts at conquest, upon the least or no provocation at all, the Montenegrins sought the Turk in his own country, carrying death and destruction to the plains. By 1485, the Montenegrins found themselves shut fast within their mountains. Their last secular prince gave up his office in 1516, leaving the country under the leadership of its bishop.

"The Porte continued to attack the land, and, after generations of loss and endeavor, conquered it temporarily in 1714. The Turks had no sooner clambered down the mountain sides, than the Montenegrins reasserted their independence. They obtained the support of Russia, to conditions being an annual subsidy from the Tsar and continual harassment of the Turks by the Montenegrins. Both sides have kept their agreement with steady faith ever since; for the Tsar has never been found wanting in his financial help and the Montenegrins have never let an opportunity go by when they could, with decency, get into a war with Turkey. As examples, they began the trouble in 1877, and were the first to declare war in 1912.

"In 1851, the last prince-bishop died; for his successor, Danilo I., dropped his religious functions and appeared as a secular prince. Since then the tiny state, dedicated to war, has climbed and climbed, its ambitions mostly overlooked or amiled at by the Powers, until today it is a full-fledged kingdom, with a daughter of its royal family upon the throne. The independence of Montenegro was recognized by the great nations at the Berlin conference in 1878. A close personal and political friendship exists between the imperial house of Russia and the reigning house of Montenegro, and this friendship, probably, is one of the strongest anchors to the wardward that the little kingdom has in its present day of peril."

To repeat an old saying in a new way is a blunder.

A new thing in a new way is art.

CARPENTERS WANTED

Carpenters wanted at the Danta. In a labor company. Good wages. D & S.

Petersburg, Va. (By United Press)—Reports of wild disorder as well have reached here by following the failure of wire communication in the stricken power. The reports are two persons been killed and one negro hanged to a telegraph pole, it was said. Several including an Italian who went over the loss of his money in a bank, were shot down by five persons who fired when he was made to prevent his going to a burning bank. A local telegram has been requested to send guns to Hopewell.

With wires down the only communication is by wagon and automobile over roads choked with trees and sight seers. Police turning from Hopewell said that Dupont plant opened for work. A handful of employees reported that they had spent a night of terror searching for valuables across what few of their possessions they had saved. Hundreds of sat on their trunks or bags of all night with pistols or shot across their laps waiting for less weary bucket brigade workers stamping out sparks. How less lawyers, doctors, real estate and others who became wealthy in boom and who had again lost it were busy today planning a new city. Hopewell had two chambers of commerce.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINS YOUNG BRIDE

Miss Isabelle Powell entertained her Sunday School class in a very delightful party last evening in honor of Mrs. John McQuillen. The girls were busily engaged in hemming and putting the initials on tea towels for the bride. Delicious refreshments were served.

MRS. M. C. HENRY DIES WEDNESDAY IN DUBOIS

Cinchois of the Liver Causes Agony
Woman's Death

Mrs. Margaret Catherine Henry died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. M. Wolf, of Dubois, where she has made her home for the past fourteen years. Wednesday afternoon at 2:10 o'clock after an illness of six weeks duration, suffering from Cinchois of the liver.

Mrs. Henry was born in Dubois county in the year 1848 and was the widow of the late James W. Henry a veteran of the Civil war.

The funeral party will leave Saturday at the Wolf residence on Wilson Ave., by the Rev. Henry Johnston of the First Baptist church at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

The funeral party will leave Saturday morning for Grampian where interments will be made in the Friends cemetery at 11 a. m. The deceased leaves a family of eight children: Charles M. and James Melvin, of Grampian, Lillian A. Wolf, of Dubois, Mary E. Dickinson, Lewis G. Elma R., and Mrs. Grace W. Swearing of Pittsburgh and Furman A. of Camden, New Jersey.

LARGE GRAIN ELEVATORS DESTROYED BY FIRE TODAY

Federal Officials Investigating Cause
Loss Amounts to \$750,000

Erie, Pa., Dec. 10. (By United Press)—Fire which early today destroyed three Anchor Line grain elevators bulging with 650,000 bushels of grain consigned to the big brought state and government investigators to the scene to run down reports that pro-German incendiaries started the blaze. The loss at \$750,000. An investigation began immediately.

Coats for Ladies, Misses and children are now being made in order to make room for the coming shipments of holiday goods. This is your opportunity to buy a winter coat at price that will not be possible in few days. At Minkin's.

Advertisements in The Progress.

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EARLY
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SHOP
NOW!

This Ever-Present Question at Christmas Time is Answered by Our Complete Stocks of Gifts of all Descriptions. An Hour or Two Spent in Our Store Will Make Christmas Giving The Pleasure it is Meant to Be!

"The Gift Without The Giver Is Bare," sang Lowell; and we all feel happier for thinking over and planning our Christmas Gifts to those who are near and dear to us. None of the gift's individuality is lost, however, you should need some suggestions. If you are a woman it is not surprising you should seek some advice on men's gifts. And if you are a man you almost certainly can use some suggestions on giving to the women folk.

We have helped you this year to solve your gift problem. We have assembled bountiful stocks of carefully selected things that make appropriate and satisfactory gifts. Instead of a difficult task you will find it a real delight to buy your Christmas presents here. Everything is arranged for easy selection, plenty of courteous, attentive salespeople are here to serve you, there is no crowding or hurrying—you have time for leisurely and thoughtful selection. The unusually moderate prices will enable you to remember everyone without exceeding the amount you have set aside for this purpose.

Now, let us give you just a hint of the help our store can be in solving your gift-problems. The following list is only a brief summary of our Christmas stocks, and is by no means complete:

Mother Will Welcome Gifts Like These.



If to no one else in the whole world, you won't let Christmas pass without a token for Mother. Here are a number of suggestions that will please her—and too, these are

SUITABLE GIFTS FOR GROWN-UP SISTER

Whether it's your real sister or one of those make-believes, really belonging

to someone else, she will be tickled to death at gifts like these.

Ivory Mirrors at	25c to \$2.50
Ivory Dresser Trays at	25c to 1.95
Ivory Hair Brushes at	25c to 1.50
Ivory Powder Boxes from	25c to 79c
Ivory Hair Receivers at	25c to 79c
Ivory Manicure Pieces at	25c and 50c
Perfume Bottles from	25c to \$1.25
Ivory Dressing Combs at	19c to 50c
Ivory Jewel Boxes at	\$1.00
Toilet Sets at	\$3.50 to \$10.00
Traveling Cases and Bags at	1.00 to 10.00
Knit Slippers at	50c
Gum Metal Bags at	50c to \$2.50
Gum Silver Bags at	\$1.50 to 5.00
Leather Hand Bags at	1.00 to 10.00
Bead Bags at	1.50 to 5.00
Vanity Bags at	25c to 1.00
Lavallieres at	\$1.00 to 2.00
Lockets and Bracelets at	1.00 to 2.50
Pearl Bead Necklaces at	25c to 1.00
Novelty Bead Necklaces at	25c and 50c
Fancy Hair Ornaments at	25c to \$3.00
Party Boxes at	2.00
Ostrich Neck Ruffs at	\$1.50 to 3.00
Dress Sets	25c to 50c
Fancy Collars from	25c to \$3.00
Knit Scarfs at	25c to 3.00
Silk Head Scarfs at	50c to 1.50
Handkerchiefs from	5c to 1.00
Silk Hose from	50c to 2.50
Wool Hose at	25c pair
Pleeced Hose at	25c pair
Lisle Hose at	25c to 50c
French Kid Gloves at	\$1.50 pair
Gloved Kid Gloves at	\$1.00 and \$1.25
Cape Gloves at	\$1.00 to 1.50
Mocha Gloves at	1.00 to 1.50
Short Silk Gloves	50c to 1.00
Long Silk Gloves at	75c to 1.50
Fancy Work Bags at	25c to 80c
Toilet Water from	25c to \$4.00
Perfume in Fancy Boxes at	25c to 1.00
Week end Packages at	10c to 25c
Forrest Cases and Aprons at	10c to \$1.95
Fancy Stationery at	10c to 50c
Fancy Aprons at	25c to 60c
Finest Fine Muslin Underwear such as Corset Covers, Combination Suits, Drawers and Gowns daintily trimmed with laces and ribbons, put in Xmas boxes, prices range from	25c to \$5.00
Crepe de Chene Camisoles from	\$1.50 to \$2.45
Crepe de Chene Skirts at	3.45 to 5.95
Crepe de Chene Combination Suits	2.95 to 3.95
Kayser Italian Silk Underwear at	2.00 to 3.00
Silk Petticoats at	2.25 to 5.00
Silk, Crepe de Chene, Crepe and Corduroy Kimonos	1.00 to 5.00
Waists from	1.00 to 7.50

"Beacon" Bathrobes and Indian Blankets from	2.75 to 7.50
Ribbon Bags and Novelties	25c to 50c
Wool Dress patterns at	5c to 1.50
Wool Dress Patterns at	3.45 to 1.50 and
Knit singlets at	1.50 to 2.50
Manicuring Sets 75c to 3.50	



What Shall I Give Sister?

AND DON'T FORGET BABY

The baby may not be able to tell you so in so many words, but watch the effect produced by gifts such as these,

Infants Bathrobes	30c
" Dresses	25c to \$5.00
" Kimonos	30c to 4.50
" Booties	19c to 75c
" Bonnets	25c to 2.25



Infants Toques	50c to 50c
" Sweaters	\$1 to 2.25
" Mittens	15c to 25c
" Sweater Suits from	\$2.75 to \$3.50
Baby Rattles	10c to 25c
Baby Carriage Robes	\$2.00 to \$5.00
Baby Crib Blankets	39c to \$1.00
Infants Leggings from	50c to \$1.25

WHAT SHALL I GIVE LITTLE BROTHER OR SISTER?

A Visit to Our Big Toyland in the Basement will Help You to Solve This Problem.



Below we mention just a few of the many new Toys to be seen in our Big Toy Department. Make your selections now while the assortments new complete.

I am a Little Endless Variety.

Kid body Dolls, Jointed Dolls, dressed Dolls, Character Dolls and many others, prices range from 2c to 50c	
Doll Carriages	50c to \$5.00
" Houses	25c to \$1.00
" Furniture	25c to \$1.00
" Bikes	25c to \$1.00
Bath Tub Sets	50c to \$2.00
Kewpie Dish Set, Special at	10c each
Doll Trunks	25c to \$1.00
" Hats	10c to 25c
Mechanical Trains, from	50c to \$2.00
Electric Trains from	\$3.00 to \$25.00
Stations, Platforms, Tunnels, extra Cars, Tracks, switches and crossovers, price range from	5c to 75c
Lanterns and Motion Picture machines from	\$1.00 to \$10.00
Automobiles and Trucks	25c to \$1.75
Loaded Auto Trucks at	\$1.00
Cook Stoves and Ranges	50c to \$2.50
Rubber Balls from	5c to \$1.00
Sewing Machines.	50c to \$7.50
Cash Register Banks	50c to \$1.00
Spinning Tops	10c to 25c
Paint Boxes	25c to \$1.00
Tram sets	10c to 25c
Ring Constructors from	\$1.00 up
New Tinkertoys at	50c each
New Erector that makes a hundred different toys, from 50c up	
Stuffed Animals such as Sheep, Cats, Dogs, Elephants, Bears, Lions, Horses, Rabbits, Etc. price range from 25c to \$8.50.	
Horses and Carts	50c to \$1.25
Pianos, priced from	25c to \$6.00
Building Blocks from	15c to \$1.00
Tool Chests	10c to \$2.00
Folding Tables at	60c and 70c
Chairs and Rockers from	25c to \$1.00
Rocking Horses	\$2.50 to \$8.00
Shoe Fly Horses	75c to \$2.25

Big Jointed Doll Special at 98c.

We are very fortunate in securing another shipment of the large jointed dolls like we sold last year and the price is just the same 98c, they are well worth \$2.00 this year and are a wonderful value at

98c

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Fine selection of Children's Xmas Books of all kinds, prices range 10c to 50c.

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.,
"THE GIFT STORE."
CLEARFIELD, PENNA.

Gifts That Father Will Like

"Dad" is generally particularly pleased with a practical gift. Perhaps business does that but my rate he will thank you for any of the following.

Ivory or Ebony Hand Mirrors at	25c to \$2.00
Ivory Hair Brushes at	25c to \$2.00
Traveling Cases and Bags from	\$1.00 to \$10.00
Collar Bars from	50c to 75c
Necktie Racks	25c to 75c
Shaving Sets	\$2.00 to \$3.50
Military Brushes	\$1 to 1.50
Handkerchiefs at	5c to 50c
Leslie or Silk Hose at	25c to 50c
Bathrobe or Indian Blankets at	\$2.75 to \$7.50
Fancy Garters at	25c and 50c
Men's Traveling Slipper at	\$1.50



What Shall I Give Dad?

Gifts For The Home.

Cluny Lace Dollies	25c to \$1.00
" " Centers	25c to 4.00
" " Scarfs	75c to 4.00
Felt Scarfs	\$2.75 to \$5.00
Felt or Leather Cushions at	30c
Maderia Napkins at	\$8.50 and 2.00
Square Pattern Clothes at	\$1.50 to \$5.00
Cluny Lace Pano Scarfs at	60c
Round Pattern Clothes at	3.00 and 3.75
Marseilles Bed Spreads at	90c to 3.00
Room size Rugs at	6.50 to 49.50
Small Rugs priced from	1.75
Pretty Lace or Seim Curtains from	50c
Stamped Lunch Cloths at	
" Dresser Sets at	
Sweet Grass Baskets at	25c
Japanese Baskets at	

Holiday Sale of Smart Late Style Suits

There are all this season's latest models in all the newest and most desirable materials. All are taken from our regular stocks and marked at decided price reductions for immediate disposal.

\$20.00 Suits at	\$14.95	\$37.50 Suits at	29.75
22.50 " "	17.95	45.00 " "	37.50
25.00 " "	19.75	47.50 " "	39.75
27.50 " "	22.50	65.00 " "	47.50

Coats at Special Prices.

Hundreds of good warm Coats in all the latest materials, styles and colors, fur trimmed and belted effects, specially priced at \$0.75, \$1.95, \$16.50, \$18.50, \$19.75, \$22.50 and \$25.00.

Narobia Guaranteed Furs for Xmas Gifts

It will pay you to buy them now and at Leonardson's. We are offering the finest grade of Furs obtainable at prices that represent saving from 13 to 12. What Gift could be more appreciated by the woman who strives to dress in style? What fur gift could more lasting for Narobia Furs are guaranteed color, style and wear. Buy Furs now while they are low.

Gifts for the Children.

Children's Handkerchiefs,	5c each to 25c box
Gloves and Mittens,	14c to 1.00
Children's Coats from	2.50 to 1.00
Children's Dresses	



What Shall I Give Little Sister?

Sip for tonight's Tea Table

Allison O. Smith returned from New York this morning where called on account of the illness of her brother.

E. Plyler, of DuBois, transacted business in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Eupen on Wednesday, a daughter.

Mrs. James P. O'Laughlin entertained the Clearfield-Curwensville Whist club at a beautifully appointed luncheon yesterday at her home on Front street.

Thomas Allen, of DuBois, is attending to business in town.

Archie Davidson of Curwensville, was a city visitor today.

J. A. Frank, of Curwensville, attended to business in town today.

Mrs. C. L. Sloppy, of New Millport, is shopping in town today.

Miss Louise Dollison left this morning for her home in Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lynch leave tomorrow for their new home in Lewistown.

Mrs. Reed Barger returned to her home in Woodland after spending a few days with her mother Mrs. Stewart.

Miss Ruth Laporte of Curwensville was shopping in town yesterday.

Mrs. John M. Witherow, of Olanza, spent yesterday in town.

Help the Surgical Dressings committee fill their box.

Mrs. A. C. Bordenman, of Akron, O., is home to spend the winter with her father Henry Meiss on Clearfield street.

Leah Hile, of Lumber City was in town yesterday.

Miss Ella Shaw, Mrs. H. B. Powell and daughters Isabelle and Carrie and Mrs. George Reed spent the day with Mrs. Ed Reed in Grampian.

Mrs. George Kendrick, of Sewickley is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson on Second street.

CURWENSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George Daugherty, of South Side, entertained last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Daugherty who are visiting Mr. Daugherty's parents at present.

W. K. Wrigley was a Clearfield visitor Wednesday night.

Miss Mildred Shriver was shopping in Clearfield last evening.

The young folks of town held a dance last night in the Moose hall and it was a success.

Mr. C. C. Gates and Miss Alina Gates were Clearfield callers last evening.

J. L. Drabker is helping Robinson & Co. at their store in Clearfield at present.

J. B. McGrath, of Grampian, was in town Wednesday night.

Mike Kowalski, shoe repairer had business in town yesterday.

Miss Emma P. Jackson, was a Clearfield caller Thursday.

R. L. McDaniel, of Tyrore, visited friends in town Wednesday night.

Milford Bratton, of Clearfield, had business in town yesterday afternoon.

Boyd Crissman had business at the county seat last evening.

Lester Bartell was a Clearfield caller Wednesday evening.

Joseph Jenkins, who recently underwent an operation at the Clearfield hospital, returned home Wednesday, greatly improved in health.

Mrs. H. J. Wilber, of Youngstown, Ohio, will arrive in town Saturday to spend the Christmas tide with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rorbaugh, Mr. Wilber will join her later.

Joe Murphy, went out to the mountains yesterday to get a buck.

Guevry J. H. of Clearfield, was a Curwensville caller yesterday.

Mrs. R. G. Byler was a Curwensville caller yesterday afternoon.

R. M. Dalton had business in Woodland yesterday.

Mrs. James Millen was shopping at the county seat Thursday.

It is rumored that Ansonville will have a new hotel and a milk depot in the near future.

Frank McLaughlin was a Clearfield caller yesterday.

W. L. Dale, who up to date has been a Clearfield caller, had business at the county seat Wednesday afternoon.

Fashion Hints By Margaret Mason

BY MARGARET MASON

'Round the world melody goes
To devise her boudoir clothes;
Often she reclines at ease
In a coat and pants Chinese;
Of an Oriental shawl
Is her only robe at all;
Japanese kimono too
Will unfold her, gay of hue;
Grecian robes, she'll often wear
'em;

Also trousers a la harem.
'Tis to view the exploitation
Of her robes of relaxation
Is, without exaggeration,
Geographic education.

New York, Dec. 10.—Just bear in mind that bare feet are the essential parts of the newest Grecian negligee. At least, they are almost bare. Silver sandals are almost their sole covering. A lovely Grecian negligee of silver gauze and scarlet is offered upon the sartorial shrine of 1516. The shirt is of silver gauze and the short tunic is of silver figured in scarlet with scarlet binding around the low neck and flowing Grecian sleeves. A sheet of silver and scarlet at the head and silver sandals at the feet prove extreme attractions of this artistic new negligee. Helen of Troy may have had something on the modern maiden thus attired, but it's barely possible that she had any less on her.

Given an oblong shawl of gold embroidered gauze, or even a vividly outlandish Carmen shawl of silk and fringe and, with a little time and two pins, any bright young thing can swathe her figure in the luring draperies of a bewitching and original negligee.

Borrowing an Oriental pattern for Occidental material, Miss Up To Date now wears in the privacy of her boudoir, (or if she hasn't may, the privacy of her hall bedroom will do,) a coat and pair of trousers like perfect ladies affect in China. Miss Up To Date's aren't real Chinese embroidered ones, however. Goodness, no! They were worn last season. This year her's are made of chiffon velvet banded around the bottom of the trousers and the coat in gold or silver gauze.

If you are merely panting to be comfortable you can certainly be all that in these newest panty negligees. However, you yearn to be adorably dainty and feminine invest at once in one of the dainty pastel tinted chiffon one piece kimono edged all around and up and down in fluffy white swansdown.

You'll look like an idealized powder puff.

That will be sure to take the shine off of any other negligee worn in your vicinity.

A wise man changes his mind; a vicious one, his principles.

Mackinaws for men and boys. Many styles and patterns to select from. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$10.00 and every one a bargain. At Minton's.

WANTED—Situation wanted by a young man of good character. Would like steady position in store. Best of references. Address "A" Progress.

WANTED—A good cook. Small family. Good wages. Inquire at Progress D 10-11

Be Truthful Fixing Up Your Ad.

By BREEN.

When you write your ad. you may expatiate. But you must be truthful. People are quick to see the truth in an ad. If you advertise dollar bills for 99 cents the people know there is something wrong.

Make your ad. attractive, but make it reasonable too.

Don't make the fatal mistake of promising too much. You lose both ways.

Quick witted people will not buy. Those who do buy will revile you.

Above all things, be truthful in your ads.

OWN YOUR OWN BUSINESS—Responsible Man Wanted to Operate Washing Machines and Wholesale Chewing Gum; small capital; part time; large profits. Chic-Mint Gum Company, Wilmington, Del.

USEFUL HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS

Christmas Gifts That Do Not Suit Will Be Exchanged Or Money Refunded

THE "SERVICE" IDEA

The idea of "Store Service" involves much more than "waiting on" you courteously. Any store can give that service; and most of the stores do give it.

"Service," as we understand it, and give it, goes much farther. It begins at the source; takes your needs into account long before you do; provides not merely goods to sell, for you to buy, but goods that you ought to buy; showing you these goods and making it impossible for you to go wrong in your selection through lack of knowledge or judgment.

When a man comes into this store we show him what he calls for and tell him all about it; we add our knowledge to his wishes, and, if he wants suggestions, we give them fully and intelligently. He must be satisfied whether he buys or not.

When a woman comes into this store to buy for a man or boy, we show her what he ought to have and tell her why he ought to have it, informing her fully as to styles and prices.

When a child comes into this store we feel duty bound to take the place of his parents, and serve him to the very best interest both of himself and his parents.

Our "service" is better now than ever before; made better by our beautiful new store, since last Christmas we have nearly trebled the capacity of our old store, we now occupy three floors, our lighting system cannot be equalled in any store in this part of the country. On our main floor we have over 5,500 candle power of the new Nitrogen filled lights, you can shop as well in the evening as in daytime in this Daylight Store, the beautiful wardrobe equipment throughout the store enables our increased force of trained and competent salesmen to wait on you promptly.

We feel sure that you will appreciate this service, particularly now during the Christmas rush, when bad service would be so vexatious.

NOW FOR A SAFE CHRISTMAS GIVE USEFUL GIFTS.

Make out your Christmas list today; check the items you wish to buy, and bring it with you to this store.

OUR CHRISTMAS LIST.

Smoking Jackets—Nice two toned jackets as low as \$3; finer ones up to \$10.00.

Bath Robes—Wools and merinos at \$3 to \$10. Turkish Terry Robes with slippers and towels to match, \$5.00.

Combination Sets — Handkerchief, tie and socks to match.

Suspenders and Garters to match at 50c and 75c.

Ties and Socks to match.

Suspenders — Fine Suspenders, in pretty Xmas boxes at 50c.

Slippers—Men's Slippers at 50c to \$2 Ladies' Felt Slippers, plain or fur trimmed at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Men's Shoes—Florsheim, Walkover, Beacon and Endicott, Johnson Co. Shoes, all leathers, the latest styles, \$2.50 to \$6.00.

Ladies' Shoes—Walkover and other makes, all leathers, \$2 to \$4.

Boy's Shoes—High Cut Calf Shoes, tan and black, \$2 to \$3.50; Beacon Dress Shoes, \$3.

Men's Socks—Fine list and silks at 25c to \$1 a pair; Interwoven Hosiery in beautiful Xmas boxes, \$1 a box; 4 pairs to a box.

Mufflers—Knitted silks with fringed ends, solid colors and fancy combinations, \$2 to \$4.50.

Bradley and Phoenix Mufflers at 50c.

Boy's Clothing—Suits with two pair trousers at \$3.50 to \$10.

Knicker Trousers, 50c to \$2.

Mackinaw Coats, sizes 6 to 19, at \$4 to \$8.00.

Overcoats, \$3 to \$15.

Blouse Waists, 50c to \$1.

Men's Clothing—Suits and Overcoats, latest styles, from Kuppenheimer, Michael Stearn & Co., and Style Plus.

Raincoats from \$5 up.

Mackinaw Coats from \$5 to \$10.

Shirts — Shapiro's Special Shirts, \$1.25; Eclipse Shirts, \$1 to \$2; Bates Street Shirts, \$1.50 and \$2.00; Silk Shirts, \$2.50 to \$7.00.

Pajamas—Mercerized Soisette Outing flannel and silk, solid tints and stripes from \$1 to \$5; Night Shirts, 50c to \$1.

Neckwear — Great special in 50c Neckwear; fine silks in light colored holiday patterns; also all the latest things in novelty effects.

Finer Neckwear up to \$2; also big line of 25c and 39c Ties.

Knitted Neckwear, 50c to \$1.

Men's Jewelry — Scarf pins, cuff links, studs, fobs, etc., in sterling silver, pearl and gold. Watches, rings, bracelets, etc.

Men's Gloves—Dressed and undressed kids; Suedes and Mochas, unlined, silk lined and fleece lined, \$1 to \$3; fur lined at \$4; Auto gloves, \$1 to \$2.50

Sweaters — Men's Sweater Coats, with or without collar, \$1 to \$8.50; Boy's Sweater Coats, 50c to \$3.50.

Handkerchiefs—Men's Initial Handkerchiefs in fine cambric linen and silk with hemstitched borders, 15c, 25c and 50c. Plain linen handkerchiefs, 25c to 75c. Novelty silks with fancy borders and centers at 50c.

Fine line of Ladies' Handkerchiefs. Leather Goods — Men's Traveling Bags and Suit Cases, with or without toilet articles, \$5 to \$10. Collar Bags, purses, cigarette cases, cigar cases, necktie holders, bill books, ladies' hand bags.

Men's Traveling Sets—Calf or pigskin cases, moire, or plain silk linings, military toilet articles or full sets at \$2.50 to \$8.

Hats and Caps—Shapiro's Special Hats at \$2 and \$3; Stetson's at \$3.50 to \$5; Crofut and Knapp Hats, \$3.50; Men's and Boy's Caps, the famous "Hyde" Cap, 50c to \$2.

Umbrellas — Men's and Ladies'; serges and taffeta silks, \$1 to \$6; Children's Umbrellas, 50c to \$1; Canes, 50c to \$3.

Underwear — Cotton and wool, single garments, 50c to \$2.00; Munsing Union Suits, \$1 to \$3.50; Children's Munsing Union Suits, 50c to \$1.50.

CHRISTMAS BOXES

will be supplied on application for all purchases intended for gifts.

On mail orders amounting to \$1 or more we pay postage by parcel post; on orders for \$5 or more we pay express 100 miles from Clearfield. Send us your mail orders, money refunded if not satisfactory.

Open Evenings Until 9:30 Beginning Monday, December 13,
Until Friday, December 24.

LOUIS SHAPIRO

Market Street Clearfield, Pa.

All Hopes Of Early Peace Ended by the Chancellor's Speech

**British Officials Indignantly Resent
Attempt of Hollweg To Put The
Responsibility Upon The Allies**

PEACE MORE REMOTE THAN EVER

BY ED. KIEN
United Press Staff Correspondent

London, Dec. 10. (By United Press)—Chancellor Von Hollweg's speech in the German Reichstag has practically put an end to all talk of an early peace so far as Great Britain is concerned. Several high officials interviewed by the United Press today said the declaration of the German Chancellor should convince even the most ardent pacifist that the end of the war is not in sight.

The London newspapers not only took the same view but a certain portion of the press declared that the peace prospects are now more remote as the result of Hollweg's speech than at any time since the war began. British officials interviewed today indignantly resented the attempt of the German Chancellor to throw responsibility for continuance of the war upon the allies. They said that the Chancellor's speech was plainly designed for home not foreign consumption and construed to be an effort to appease the growing demand in Germany for peace. There statements and the attitude of the London press correctly represented the attitude of the nation.

London, Dec. 10. (By United Press)—Angry comment in the London press today on the German Chancellor's speech were mingled with sarcastic shots at declarations that "the Chancellor merely repeated the old bluff and brag." If there were a long-sighted statesman in Germany he would contrive to arrive at a settlement that would leave his country a menace to the world. The leader of the German people is determined to rush on to irresistible destruction. The allies will read the Chancellor's speech with grief and satisfaction, said the Daily Post.

The Chronicle answered the German socialist Dr. Scheidemann's declaration Europe would be turned if the war continued and that the only victor would be the United States. "That of course is a reflection which Germany might well have taken to heart before plunging Europe into the war," said the Chronicle, "but it is not an argument for stopping the war at the moment when its ending would be most advantageous to those who provoked it."

By Carl W. Ackerman
Berlin, Dec. 10.—Socialist members of the Reichstag decided in public caucus today that the reply of Chancellor Von Behmann Hollweg to peace query was entirely satisfactory. They voted that there was therefore no reason for hostility toward government "whose enemies have been continually speaking that it favored annexation." This resolution it is understood passed the caucus by a large majority, a few radicals, including Dr. Liebknecht dissenting.

**NEW DANCE ORCHESTRA
FORMED IN CLEARFIELD**

The Guelich's Reconstructed Orchestra Making it Four Pieces

Last evening at the second dance of the Assembly club, a new orchestra of Guelich orchestra played for the first time in public. In the past the orchestra has been composed of only two pieces, the piano and the drums, but realizing the need of a larger orchestra in Clearfield, Dater Guelich has secured the services of a well known musician of the city and is now ready for other dances.

Brain Kester, one of the best violinist in town and an expert in music, and Charles W. Guelich, of the Fifth Regiment band and an accomplished clarinetist, are the new members of the orchestra. Many guests at the dance last evening are all of the same opinion that this new orchestra plays a fine dance music of any orchestra in this section.

In some positions if you are on the spot one minute before the best arrives, you are early; one minute after he arrives, you are late. The successful man never waits until the last minute.

Sweaters for men and boys, all colors and styles, from 95c to \$6.00. At Minkin's.

NEW CHILD LABOR LAW TO GO INTO EFFECT JANUARY 1

**Two Kinds Of Employment
Certificates Necessary
Under Cox Act**

Six Tons of Paper Received Upon
Which Forms and Certificates Will
be Printed.

Harrisburg, Dec. 10.—Six tons of paper has been received by State Printer Ray upon which he will print the new forms and employment certificates, made necessary by the enforcement of the Cox Child Labor Act, on January 1.

There will be two kinds of employment certificates necessary under the new law; General and Vacation. General certificates are for those boys and girls between the ages of fourteen and sixteen who want to work the entire year; the Vacation certificates are for those who want to work only on the days when the Public Schools are not in session.

Besides the working certificates, there are many forms that must be filled out and filed. A boy or girl who wishes to secure a general working certificate, must first of all get a signed promise of work from the prospective employer. This agreement states, that the employer will give the child a position and that the child will be permitted to attend a continuation school at least eight hours a week.

The next step is to procure from the teacher of the school the child has attended a certificate of scholarship, which must show that he attended all the grades equivalent to six grades of the public schools, and has a liberal education in the English language, spelling, reading, arithmetic, geography and history of the United States.

The teacher also furnishes the child with a medical examination card which must be filled out by a physician approved by the district wherein the child lives. The physician thoroughly examines the boy or girl and testifies as to his or her physical ability to do the work selected.

Then evidence of age must be secured from the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the city or township where the child was born. If the bureau can not supply the correct age of the child, then a baptismal certificate or a transcript of the record of the baptism may be obtained from the pastor of his church.

All these certificates must then be taken to the employment certificate office and be presented for approval or disapproval. If the officer in charge approves, then the general certificate will be issued by the school district. This is not given to the boy, but is sent to the employer who keeps it on file all of the time the boy is working for him. When the boy leaves, the certificate is returned by mail to the employment certificate office.

Three days after the employer receives the certificate, he fills out an acknowledgment form and sends it to the officer who issued the working permit.

Four days after the boy goes to work the employer fills out another form, which he sends to the school authorities, showing the days of the week, time of day, and the school that the boy will attend.

The Vacation Employment certificates must be secured in the same manner as a General Certificate, except that it will not be necessary to obtain a school report.

While it seems that a lot of unnecessary red tape must be gone through in order to secure a certificate, nevertheless these steps above explained are essential in order to do justice to all of the children, and prevent fraud.

Hitherto, in Pennsylvania, as in most states, the working certificate has been very easy to get. Given directly to the child and not followed up with any great care, the result was that many children left school



GERMAN SOLDIERS NOW USING INDIVIDUAL SEARCHLIGHTS.

More and more as the war progresses is it evidenced that, so far as Germany is concerned, the most modern appliances which the inventive genius of the Kaiser's forces can devise, are being used to good purpose in the German lines, both in the trenches and on the battle front. The photo shows one of the most modern of the inventions—a portable searchlight. This searchlight, small as it is, is a remarkably one. When not in use it is taken apart and distributed among five men of the company.

LARGE INCREASE IN ARMY WANTED BY WAR COLLEGE

Part of Program Adopted by President and Sec. Garrison

Washington, Dec. 10. (By United Presses)—Increase of the United States standing army to 253,500 men is the recommendation of the army war college. Its long awaited military reorganization plan made public today provides for stupendous appropriations beginning with \$503,000,000 next year extending over eight years. The army experts recommended continental reserves of 500,000. Adoption by Secretary Garrison and President Wilson of only part of the plan is understood from the report.

The war college plans to have the continentals enlisted for three years active service and three years in reserve was incorporated by Garrison in his program. The army officers recommend a mobile army for continental United States alone of 121,000 with an eight year enlistment, two years active and six reserve.

SCHOOL BUILDINGS CLOSED FOR FUMIGATION TODAY

Dorothy Dietzel of Bigler Avenue
Contracts Scarlet Fever

This morning on room in both the Fourth ward and Third ward school buildings and the entire high school were dismissed until Monday morning in order to fumigate the buildings which was made necessary by a case of scarlet fever.

Dorothy Dietzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dietzel of Bigler avenue children being students in the ward building, took sick yesterday afternoon and this morning it was found that she had contracted scarlet fever. On account of two other Dietzel children being students in the other buildings, it was thought most advisable to dismiss the students from these buildings until they could be thoroughly fumigated. In all probability school will again take up Monday morning.

"MAUD'S COMMAND"

At Baptist church this evening at eight o'clock. Do not miss it. Pie social and good time following. Come help the Baptists. They need you.

FORMER CLEARFIELD BOY DIES TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7

Word was received yesterday by friends in Clearfield of the death of Grant Smith, Tuesday afternoon, December 7 at his home in Pasadena, California. The deceased was a son of John Smith of Nichol street.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. M. E. Smith four sisters, and two brothers, Mrs. Sarah Rollin, Mrs. Mary Shaw, Mrs. Jennie Larimer, Mrs. Louis O'Neil, Clayton and Hartwick Smith.

without going to work at all, or after working a brief period quit for a year or more of idleness.

In some cities employment certificates have been found passing for twenty-five cents currency between children at "craps" in the alleys.

Hereafter, following the better practice, the working permit will be issued directly to the employer who must return it to the authorized officer immediately upon the child leaving his employ, whereupon, the child must return to school, not the old time school presumably, but the new all-day continuation school.

Thus the six tons of paper going into forms and certificates will make the periods of unemployment valuable, instead of times of temptation and loss.



EDWARD V. SAUNDERS.

Chairman of the Democratic Caucus of the House who recently announced that he was opposed to increased appropriations for National defense.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

This marked the 180th day since England's entrance into the war. Serbian troops forced the Austrians back upon Belgrade with heavy losses. Bulgarian Minister Panaretov said Bulgaria would not fight with the allies unless territory taken after the second Balkan war, was returned.

SECOND BASKETBALL GAME OF THE SEASON TONIGHT

Y. M. C. A. Team Meets the Strong
Osceola Big Five

This evening the second basketball game of the season at home will be played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium between the local association team and Osceola Big Five. The game will be one of the fastest and closest of the season, and will also be very interesting owing to the fact that the Osceola team defeated Clearfield at Osceola about a month ago by only one point.

The Clearfield team demonstrated their ability to put up a strong game, last week when they played the Tyrone five. Several new candidates have come out for the team this week and in all probability one of them, a former High school star, will get into the game. The team is one of the best that ever represented the local association and promise to the people who attend a most interesting and exciting game. Game called at 8:15. Admission 25 cents.

F. G. HARRIS KILLS THREE PRONGED BUCK YESTERDAY

According to the latest reports from the mountains, the Crystal Springs camp have five large bucks strung up in front of their camp at present. Hon. F. G. Harris secured the fifth yesterday, a large three pronged buck, near the Panther rocks. This makes the fifth buck in five successive seasons that Mr. Harris has secured.

Mackinaws for men and boys. Many styles and patterns to select from. Prices range from \$3.50 to \$10.00 and every one a bargain. At Minkin's.

URGENT REQUEST FOR AID COMES TO CLEARFIELD

Women Will Make Surgical
Dressings for Hospitals
in Warring Countries

Branch of Pennsylvania Surgical
Dressings Committee Formed in
Clearfield—Work Will Soon be
Started.

A branch of the Pennsylvania Surgical Dressings committee has been organized in Clearfield, for the purpose of making surgical dressings out of Old Linen and cotton pieces for the wounded in Europe.

This is a national organization that has been working in the larger cities but on account of the great demand is being extended to the smaller towns.

Although these supplies are to go to other countries we feel we are organizing a real working committee, in case we should ever need it in the United States.

Any individual or organization that is interested in this work is cordially invited to work with the committee. Patterns and dimensions can be obtained by calling any member of the committee.

We are needed in places where the hospital is larger than the town. No one in America has any conception of these hospitals—ten beds, twenty-five beds, dozens in one town perhaps, wherever there is a room large enough in a school or private house. We have got to have our things in bulk here from which we can ship at a day's notice. Battles come and things are needed then an dthere, and not two months afterward. Furthermore, we can't stock a hospital ahead. We may ship them things for "les grandes blesses" and they may suddenly fill up with "malades," or convalescents. We have got to receive a special order and fill it in forty-eight hours from Paris or some other place here. A hospital is here today and evacuated tomorrow and we in America can't know it.

There are wagon-hospitals that carry around tents, establish themselves in one place for a time, demand supplies, and are gone, merged with another, back to the base fifty miles away.

"There is a great supply of dressings already here, which comes daily from England, but the demand outstrips it. They started this war behind with supplies, and they never can catch up. I have studied conditions here for a month, in, out, and everywhere, and I can truthfully say that your Surgical Dressings committee is one of the most perfect and sensible things now going. You are accomplishing much because you are concentrating."

The committee is composed of: Mrs. A. O. Smith, chairman, Miss Ella C. Shaw, Mrs. H. F. Wallace, Mrs. Richard Kennard, Mrs. F. B. Irwin, Mrs. John Martin, Miss Virginia W. Bigler, and Mrs. F. B. Row.

There will be a meeting of the committee at Mrs. A. O. Smith's on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, December 14th. All who are interested in this work are asked to come to this meeting and help arrange for work along this line of surgical dressings.

DANCE—Christmas Eve afternoon and evening in the Opera House. "Dutch" Guelich.

Two Persons Killed and One Lynched Stricken Hopes

**Italian Goes Insane Over Loss
Money--Residents Spend Night
Terror Guarding Treasures**

WEALTHY MEN PLANNING NEW

MONTENEGRINS ARE FACING MENACE OF NATIONAL OBLIVION

**Austria Determined Upon Conquest
And Subjugation
Of Small Empire**

Turkish-Montenegrin Feud one of the
Longest, Most Bitter and Relentless
in History of World.

Washington, Dec. 10.—"Montenegro, upon whose conquest and subjugation the Austrians are said to have determined, is distinguished in history as the constant, irrepressible, fanatic, midjet face of the Turkish Empire," begins a statement last issued by the National Geographic society, which reviews the tumultuous history of the Black Mountain people who, today defying greater powers than the Turk, are facing the menace of national extinction and oblivion. The primer continues:

"The Montenegrins, as a people, were born of the fierce struggles that preceded Turkish mastery of the Balkans. In the middle ages, Montenegro belong to the Serbian kingdom. Over the battlefield of Kosovo (1889), the Serbian state was swept away. The Prince-ruler of Montenegro, of royal Serbian blood, gathered his mountaineers about him, together with the remnants of the folk who fled from the plains, and began the centuries-long, deadly drama of the Turkish-Montenegrin feud, one of the longest, most bitter and relentless feuds of history.

"Wave after wave of Ottoman invasion dashed its force in vain against the inaccessible black mountain country, and, between the times of Turkish efforts at conquest, upon the least or no provocation at all, the Montenegrins sought the Turk in his own country, carrying death and destruction to the plains. By 1485, the Montenegrins found themselves shut fast within their mountains. Their last secular prince gave up his office in 1516, leaving the country under the leadership of its bishop.

"The Porte continued to attack the land, and, after generations of loss and endeavor, conquered it temporarily in 1714. The Turks had no sooner clambered down the mountain sides, than the Montenegrins reasserted their independence. They obtained the support of Russia, to conditions being an annual subsidy from the Tsar and continual harassment of the Turks by the Montenegrins. Both sides have kept their agreement with steady faith ever since; for the Tsar has never been found wanting in his financial help and the Montenegrins have never let an opportunity go by when they could, with decency, get into a war with Turkey. As examples, they began the trouble in 1877, and were the first to declare war in 1912.

"In 1851, the last prince-bishop died; for his successor, Danilo I., dropped his religious functions and appeared as a secular prince. Since then the tiny state, dedicated to war, has climbed and climbed, its ambitions mostly overlooked or amiled at by the Powers, until today it is a full-fledged kingdom, with a daughter of its royal family upon the throne. The independence of Montenegro was recognized by the great nations at the Berlin conference in 1878. A close personal and political friendship exists between the imperial house of Russia and the reigning house of Montenegro, and this friendship, probably, is one of the strongest anchors to the wardward that the little kingdom has in its present day of peril."

To repeat an old saying in a new way is a blunder.

A new thing in a new way is art.

CARPENTERS WANTED

Carpenters wanted at the Danta. In a labor company. Good wages. D & S.

Petersburg, Va. (By United Press)—Reports of wild disorder as well have reached here by following the failure of wire communication in the stricken power. The reports are two persons been killed and one negro hanged to a telegraph pole, it was said. Several including an Italian who went over the loss of his money in a bank, were shot down by five persons were shot by an Italian who fired when an attempt was made to prevent his burning bank. A local banker has been requested to send guns to Hopewell.

With wires down the only communication is by wagon and automobile over roads choked with trees and sight seers. Felix Dupont plant opened for work and a crowd of employees reported had spent a night of terror in ruins searching for valuables across what few of their possessions they had saved. Hundreds of sat on their trunks or bags of all night with pistols or shot across their laps waiting for less weary bucket brigade workers stamping out sparks. How less lawyers, doctors, real estate and others who became wealthy in boom and who had again lost it were busy today planning a new city. Hopewell had two chambers of commerce.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINS YOUNG BRIDE

Miss Isabelle Powell entertained her Sunday School class in a very delightful party last evening in honor of Mrs. John McQuillen. The girls were busily engaged in hemming and putting the initials on tea towels for the bride. Delicious refreshments were served.

MRS. M. C. HENRY DIES WEDNESDAY IN DUBOIS

Cinchois of the Liver Causes Agony
Woman's Death

Mrs. Margaret Catherine Henry died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. M. Wolf, of Dubois, where she has made her home for the past fourteen years. Wednesday afternoon at 2:10 o'clock after an illness of six weeks duration, suffering from Cinchois of the liver.

Mrs. Henry was born in Dubois county in the year 1848 and was the widow of the late James W. Henry, a veteran of the Civil war.

The funeral party will leave Saturday morning for Grampian where interments will be made in the Friends cemetery at 11 a. m. The deceased leaves a family of eight children: Charles M. and James Melvin, of Grampian, Lillian A. Wolf, of Dubois, Mary E. Dickinson, Lewis G. Elma R., and Mrs. Grace W. Swearingen, of Pittsburgh and Furman A. of Camden, New Jersey.

LARGE GRAIN ELEVATORS DESTROYED BY FIRE TODAY

Federal Officials Investigating Cause
Loss Amounts to \$750,000

Erie, Pa., Dec. 10. (By United Press)—Fire which early today destroyed three Anchor Line grain elevators bulging with 650,000 bushels of grain consigned to the big brought state and government investigators to the scene to run down reports that pro-German incendiaries started the blaze. The loss amounted to \$750,000. An investigation by officials of the Western Transportation Company, owning the elevators, is being conducted. The blaze started in the elevator of the Burns trial elevators, they said were that spontaneous combustion caused the blaze.

Coats for Ladies, Misses and children are now being made in order to make room for the coming shipments of holiday goods. This is your opportunity to buy a winter coat at price that will not be possible in few days. At Minkin's.

Advertisements in The Progress

An Everlasting Treat

For Clearfield and Community

GRAND OPENING

Friday, December 10, 1915

SOUVENIR

As a Souvenir to the public on our Opening Day Only, we will present each and every lady and gent who enters our store a pretty bunch of flowers.

Max J. Lipez, the pioneer shoe man of Lock Haven, Pa., has been bereaved by hundreds of Clearfield and vicinity to open a branch store here, to be conducted under the same methods and principals as those that are in force at his Lock Haven and Jersey Shore stores. Indeed Lipez, a man of wide shoe experience, has been engaged to manage, conduct and take full charge of this establishment. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction is assured to every customer with such an organization behind it.

From this date on the people of Clearfield and vicinity will be able to share in money-saving opportunities that will always be offered at all times on your

FOOTWEAR

COURTEOUS

TREATMENT

Full Values will be Dominating Factors in the conducting of this business.

Our Specialties: 98c, \$1.98, \$2.98

SHOES

What you have done in the past, let bygones be bygones, but resolve from this minute on that you will never pay more than 98c, \$1.98 and \$2.98 for your shoes and let this saving of money help you to pay for the other necessities of life. Come and see the shoes for yourself. That will satisfy you more than anything else.

Don't forget, and make it your business to be on hand on Opening Day

Friday, December 10

SPECIAL
Ladies' Bronze Shoes
The \$4.00 and \$5.00 K.
\$2.98

Here is the abundance of the shoe markets of the country to choose from, every imaginable style, every imaginable leather. In lace, button, congress and off styles. Bring your shoe ideas here and we will be able to meet your every desire at the lowest possible prices that have ever been paid for shoes before. An invitation is extended to you and your friends to attend.

Dayton's \$4.00 and \$5.00 Work and Dress Shoes
\$2.98

Next to Adams Express Office

MAX J. LIPEZ

Neving Building
Third Street

AN OLD RECIPE TO DARKEN HAIR

Sage Tea and Sulphur Turns Gray Faded Hair Dark and Glossy

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur properly compounded, bring back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Everybody uses this old, famous recipe, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You simply wash your hair with it, and draw this through your hair, rubbing one small strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application of two or three hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger.

LUMBER MEN'S HEARING.

The National Lumber Manufacturers Association has been holding a hearing at the Hotel Hamilton in Washington, D. C., for the purpose of investigating the situation of the lumber industry. The hearing will be held by way of a hearing by the Federal Reserve Board for the lumber association.

When a man is in love, his mind shows him a hundred pictures of his beloved.

SENATOR GORE'S BIRTHDAY

Washington, Dec. 10 - Senator Thomas H. Gore, of Oklahoma, received the congratulatory message of the Oklahoma legislature today on his forty-fifth birthday. The Oklahoma senator, who is generally known as "Big Tom," is a native of Tennessee. He was born at the age of 8 years in 1870, and is the only son of a farmer. He was educated at the University of Tennessee and at the law school of the University of Chicago. He was elected to the state senate in 1902, and to the United States senate in 1908. He was re-elected in 1912 and 1914.

of this appi, of which state he is a native

Advertise in The Progress.

BASKET BALL GAME

AT

Y. M. C. A.

Friday Eve., Dec. 10, 1915,

Clearfield Y. M. C. A.

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Clearfield Y. M. C. A.

At 8:15

Admission

25 cents

SAVE SYSTEMATICALLY

There is no time like the present to start saving. From a small amount, it will grow steadily. Deduct a small sum out of each pay. Then deposit that sum out regularly every pay day. It will surprise you to see how the money grows.

This is the best way to save money.

THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

Of Clearfield.

THE OLDEST BANK IN CLEARFIELD CO.

Bank With Us

It is a simple little institution, but it is new to the community, and it is the only one of its kind in Clearfield. It is a bank of service.

"The Bank of Service"

Resources \$1,558,376.53

Yes 400 Pairs For Christmas

Buy your shoes at these prices. The whole of the

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DO
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CRUSH
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This Ever-Present Question at Christmas Time is Answered by Our Complete Stocks of Gifts of all Descriptions. An Hour or Two Spent in Our Store Will Make Christmas Giving The Pleasure it is Meant to Be!

"The Gift Without The Giver Is Bare," sang Lowell; and we all feel happier for thinking over and planning our Christmas Gifts to those who are near and dear to us. None of the gift's individuality is lost, however, you should need some suggestions. If you are a woman it is not surprising you should seek some advice on men's gifts. And if you are a man you almost certainly can use some suggestions on giving to the women folk.

We have helped you this year to solve your gift problem. We have assembled bountiful stocks of carefully selected things that make appropriate and satisfactory gifts. Instead of a difficult task you will find it a real delight to buy your Christmas presents here. Everything is arranged for easy selection, plenty of courteous, attentive salespeople are here to serve you, there is no crowding or hurrying—you have time for leisurely and thoughtful selection. The unusually moderate prices will enable you to remember everyone without exceeding the amount you have set aside for this purpose.

Now, let us give you just a hint of the help our store can be in solving your gift-problems. The following list is only a brief summary of our Christmas stocks, and is by no means complete:

Mother Will Welcome Gifts Like These.



If to no one else in the whole world, you won't let Christmas pass without a token for Mother. Here are a number of suggestions that will please her—and too, these are

SUITABLE GIFTS FOR GROWN-UP SISTER

Whether it's your real sister or one of those make-believes, really belonging

to someone else, she will be tickled to death at gifts like these.

Ivory Mirrors at	25c to \$2.50
Ivory Dresser Trays at	25c to 1.95
Ivory Hair Brushes at	25c to 1.50
Ivory Powder Boxes from	25c to 79c
Ivory Hair Receivers at	25c to 79c
Ivory Manicure Pieces at	25c and 50c
Perfume Bottles from	25c to \$1.25
Ivory Dressing Combs at	19c to 50c
Ivory Jewel Boxes at	\$1.00
Toilet Sets at	\$3.50 to \$10.00
Traveling Cases and Bags at	1.00 to 10.00
Knit Slippers at	50c
Gum Metal Bags at	50c to \$2.50
Gum Silver Bags at	\$1.50 to 5.00
Leather Hand Bags at	1.00 to 10.00
Bead Bags at	1.50 to 5.00
Vanity Bags at	25c to 1.00
Lavallieres at	\$1.00 to 2.00
Lockets and Bracelets at	1.00 to 2.50
Pearl Bead Necklaces at	25c to 1.00
Novelty Bead Necklaces at	25c and 50c
Fancy Hair Ornaments at	25c to \$3.00
Party Boxes at	2.00
Ostrich Neck Ruffs at	\$1.50 to 3.00
Dress Sets	25c to 50c
Fancy Collars from	25c to \$3.00
Knit Scarfs at	25c to 3.00
Silk Head Scarfs at	50c to 1.50
Handkerchiefs from	5c to 1.00
Silk Hose from	50c to 2.50
Wool Hose at	25c pair
Pleeced Hose at	25c pair
Lisle Hose at	25c to 50c
French Kid Gloves at	\$1.50 pair
Gloved Kid Gloves at	\$1.00 and \$1.25
Cape Gloves at	\$1.00 to 1.50
Mocha Gloves at	1.00 to 1.50
Short Silk Gloves	50c to 1.00
Long Silk Gloves at	75c to 1.50
Fancy Work Bags at	25c to 80c
Toilet Water from	25c to \$4.00
Perfume in Fancy Boxes at	25c to 1.00
Week end Packages at	10c to 25c
Forrist Cases and Aprons at	10c to \$1.95
Fancy Stationery at	10c to 50c
Fancy Aprons at	25c to 60c
Finest Fine Muslin Underwear such as Corset Covers, Combination Suits, Drawers and Gowns daintily trimmed with laces and ribbons, put in Xmas boxes, prices range from	25c to \$5.00
Crepe de Chene Camisoles from	\$1.50 to \$2.45
Crepe de Chene Skirts at	3.45 to 5.95
Crepe de Chene Combination Suits	2.95 to 3.95
Kayser Italian Silk Underwear at	2.00 to 3.00
Silk Petticoats at	2.25 to 5.00
Silk, Crepe de Chene, Crepe and Corduroy Kimonos	1.00 to 5.00
Waists from	1.00 to 7.50

"Beacon" Bathrobes and Indian Blankets from	2.75 to 7.50
Ribbon Bags and Novelties	25c to 50c
Wool Dress patterns at	5c to 1.50
Wool Dress Patterns at	3.45 to 1.50 and
Knit singlets at	1.50 to 2.50
Manicuring Sets 75c to 3.50	



AND DON'T FORGET BABY

The baby may not be able to tell you so in so many words, but watch the effect produced by gifts such as these,

Infants Bathrobes	30c
" Dresses	25c to \$5.00
" Kimonos	30c to 4.50
" Booties	19c to 75c
" Bonnets	25c to 2.25



Infants Toques	50c to 50c
" Sweaters	\$1 to 2.25
" Mittens	15c to 25c
" Sweater Suits from	\$2.75 to \$3.50
Baby Rattles	10c to 25c
Baby Carriage Robes	\$2.00 to \$5.00
Baby Crib Blankets	39c to \$1.00
Infants Leggings from	50c to \$1.25

WHAT SHALL I GIVE LITTLE BROTHER OR SISTER?

A Visit to Our Big Toyland in the Basement will Help You to Solve This Problem.



Below we mention just a few of the many new Toys to be seen in our Big Toy Department. Make your selections now while the assortments new complete.

I am a Little Endless Variety.

Kid body Dolls, Jointed Dolls, dressed Dolls, Character Dolls and many others, prices range from 2c to 50c	
Doll Carriages	50c to \$5.00
" Houses	25c to \$1.00
" Furniture	25c to \$1.00
" Bikes	25c to \$1.00
Bath Tub Sets	50c to \$2.00
Kewpie Dish Set, Special at	10c each
Doll Trunks	25c to \$1.00
" Hats	10c to 25c
Mechanical Trains, from	50c to \$2.00
Electric Trains from	\$3.00 to \$25.00
Stations, Platforms, Tunnels, extra Cars, Tracks, switches and crossovers, price range from	5c to 75c
Lanterns and Motion Picture machines from	\$1.00 to \$10.00
Automobiles and Trucks	25c to \$1.75
Loaded Auto Trucks at	\$1.00
Cook Stoves and Ranges	50c to \$2.50
Rubber Balls from	5c to \$1.00
Sewing Machines.	50c to \$7.50
Cash Register Banks	50c to \$1.00
Spinning Tops	10c to 25c
Paint Boxes	25c to \$1.00
Tram sets	10c to 25c
Ring Constructors from	\$1.00 up
New Tinkertoys at	50c each
New Erector that makes a hundred different toys, from 50c up	
Stuffed Animals such as Sheep, Cats, Dogs, Elephants, Bears, Lions, Horses, Rabbits, Etc. price range from 25c to \$8.50.	
Horses and Carts	50c to \$1.25
Pianos, priced from	25c to \$6.00
Building Blocks from	15c to \$1.00
Tool Chests	10c to \$2.00
Folding Tables at	60c and 70c
Chairs and Rockers from	25c to \$1.00
Rocking Horses	\$2.50 to \$8.00
Shoe Fly Horses	75c to \$2.25

Big Jointed Doll Special at 98c.

We are very fortunate in securing another shipment of the large jointed dolls like we sold last year and the price is just the same 98c, they are well worth \$2.00 this year and are a wonderful value at

98c

XMAS BOOKS

Fine selection of Children's Xmas Books of all kinds, prices range 10c to 50c.

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.,
"THE GIFT STORE."
CLEARFIELD, PENNA.

Gifts That Father Will Like

"Dad" is generally particularly pleased with a practical gift. Perhaps business does that but my rate he will thank you for any of the following.

Ivory or Ebony Hand Mirrors at	25c to \$2.00
Ivory Hair Brushes at	25c to \$2.00
Traveling Cases and Bags from	\$1.00 to \$10.00
Collar Bars from	50c to 75c
Necktie Racks	25c to 75c
Shaving Sets	\$2.00 to \$3.50
Military Brushes	\$1 to 1.50
Handkerchiefs at	5c to 50c
Leslie or Silk Hose at	25c to 50c
Bathrobe or Indian Blankets at	\$2.75 to \$7.50
Fancy Garters at	25c and 50c
Men's Traveling Slipper at	\$1.50



What Shall I Give Dad?

Gifts For The Home.

Cluny Lace Dollies	25c to \$1.00
" " Centers	25c to 40c
" " Scarfs	75c to 4.00
Felt Scarfs	\$2.75 to \$5.00
Felt or Leather Cushions at	30c
Maderia Napkins at	\$8.50 and 2.00
Square Pattern Clothes at	\$1.50 to \$5.00
Cluny Lace Pano Scarfs at	60c
Round Pattern Cloths at	3.00 and 3.75
Marseilles Bed Spreads at	90c to 3.00
Room size Rugs at	6.50 to 49.50
Small Rugs priced from	1.75
Pretty Lace or Seim Curtains from	50c
Stamped Lunch Cloths at	
" Dresser Sets at	
Sweet Grass Baskets at	25c
Japanese Baskets at	

Holiday Sale of Smart Late Style Suits

There are all this season's latest models in all the newest and most desirable materials. All are taken from our regular stocks and marked at decided price reductions for immediate disposal.

\$20.00 Suits at	\$14.95	\$37.50 Suits at	29.75
22.50 " "	17.95	45.00 " "	37.50
25.00 " "	19.75	47.50 " "	39.75
27.50 " "	22.50	65.00 " "	47.50

Coats at Special Prices.

Hundreds of good warm Coats in all the latest materials, styles and colors, fur trimmed and belted effects, specially priced at \$0.75, \$1.95, \$10.50, \$15.50, \$19.75, \$22.50 and \$25.00.

Narobia Guaranteed Furs for Xmas Gifts

It will pay you to buy them now and at Leonardson's. We are offering the finest grade of Furs obtainable at prices that represent saving from 13 to 12. What Gift could be more appreciated by the woman who strives to dress in style? What fur gift could more lasting for Narobia Furs are guaranteed color, style and wear. Buy Furs now while they are low.

Gifts for the Children.

Children's Handkerchiefs,	5c each to 25c box
Gloves and Mittens,	14c to 1.00
Children's Coats from	2.50 to 1.00
Children's Dresses	



What Shall I Give Little Sister?

Sip for tonight's Tea Table

Allison O. Smith returned from New York this morning where called on account of the illness of her brother.

E. Plyler, of DuBois, transacted business in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Eupen on Wednesday, a daughter.

Mrs. James P. O'Laughlin entertained the Clearfield-Curwensville Whist club at a beautifully appointed luncheon yesterday at her home on Front street.

Thomas Allen, of DuBois, is attending to business in town.

Archie Davidson of Curwensville, was a city visitor today.

J. A. Frank, of Curwensville, attended to business in town today.

Mrs. C. L. Sloppy, of New Millport, is shopping in town today.

Miss Louise Dollison left this morning for her home in Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lynch leave tomorrow for their new home in Lewistown.

Mrs. Reed Barger returned to her home in Woodland after spending a few days with her mother Mrs. Stewart.

Miss Ruth Laporte of Curwensville was shopping in town yesterday.

Mrs. John M. Witherow, of Olanza, spent yesterday in town.

Help the Surgical Dressings committee fill their box.

Mrs. A. C. Bordenman, of Alpron, is home to spend the winter with her father Henry Meiss on Clearfield street.

Leah Hile, of Lumber City was in town yesterday.

Miss Ella Shaw, Mrs. H. B. Powell and daughters Isabelle and Carrie and Mrs. George Reed spent the day with Mrs. Ed Reed in Grampian.

Mrs. George Kendrick, of Sewickley is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson on Second street.

CURWENSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George Daugherty, of South Side, entertained last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Daugherty who are visiting Mr. Daugherty's parents at present.

J. W. K. Wrigley was a Clearfield visitor Wednesday night.

Miss Mildred Shriver was shopping in Clearfield last evening.

The young folks of town held a dance last night in the Moose hall and it was a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Gates and Miss Alina Gates were Clearfield callers last evening.

J. L. Drabaker is helping Robinson & Co. at their store in Clearfield at present.

J. B. McGrath, of Grampian, was in town Wednesday night.

Mike Kowalski, shoe repairer had business in town yesterday.

Miss Emma P. Jackson, was a Clearfield caller Thursday.

R. L. McDaniel, of Tyrore, visited friends in town Wednesday night.

Milford Bratton, of Clearfield, had business in town yesterday afternoon.

Boyd Crissman had business at the county seat last evening.

Lester Bartell was a Clearfield caller Wednesday evening.

Joseph Jenkins, who recently underwent an operation at the Clearfield hospital, returned home Wednesday, greatly improved in health.

Mrs. H. J. Wilber, of Youngstown, Ohio, will arrive in town Saturday to spend the Christmas tide with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rorbaugh, Mr. Wilber will join her later.

Joe Murphy, went out to the mountains yesterday to get a buck.

Guevry J. H. of Clearfield, was a Curwensville caller yesterday.

Mrs. R. G. Byler was a Curwensville caller yesterday afternoon.

R. M. Dalton had business in Woodland yesterday.

Mrs. James Millen was shopping at the county seat Thursday.

It is rumored that Ansonville will have a new hotel and a milk depot in the near future.

Frank McLaughlin was a Clearfield caller yesterday.

W. L. Dale, aka up to date liverman, had business at the county seat Wednesday afternoon.

Fashion Hints By Margaret Mason

BY MARGARET MASON

'Round the world melody goes
To devise her boudoir clothes;
Often she reclines at ease
In a coat and pants Chinese;
Of an Oriental shawl
Is her only robe at all;
Japanese kimono too
Will unfold her, gay of hue;
Grecian robes, she'll often wear
'em;

Also trousers a la harem.
'Tis to view the exploitation
Of her robes of relaxation
Is, without exaggeration,
Geographic education.

New York, Dec. 10.—Just bear in mind that bare feet are the essential accessories of the newest Grecian negligee. At least, they are almost bare. Silver sandals are almost their sole covering. A lovely Grecian negligee of silver gauze and scarlet is offered upon the sartorial shrine of 1516. The shirt is of silver gauze and the short tunic is of silver figured in scarlet with scarlet binding around the low neck and flowing Grecian sleeves. A short of silver and scarlet at the head and silver sandals at the feet prove extreme attractions of this artistic new negligee. Helen of Troy may have had something on the modern maiden thus attired, but it's barely possible that she had any less on her.

Given an oblong shawl of gold embroidered gauze, or even a vividly outlandish Carmen shawl of silk and fringe and, with a little time and two pins, any bright young thing can swathe her figure in the luring draperies of a bewitching and original negligee.

Borrowing an Oriental pattern for Occidental material, Miss Up To Date now wears in the privacy of her boudoir, (or if she hasn't may, the privacy of her hall bedroom will do,) a coat and pair of trousers like perfect ladies affect in China. Miss Up To Date's aren't real Chinese embroidered ones, however. Goodness, no! They were worn last season. This year her's are made of chiffon velvet banded around the bottom of the trousers and the coat in gold or silver gauze.

If you are merely panting to be comfortable you can certainly be all that in these newest panty negligees. However, you yearn to be adorably dainty and feminine invest at once in one of the dainty pastel tinted chiffon one piece kimono edged all around and up and down in fluffy white swansdown.

You'll look like an idealized powder puff.

That will be sure to take the shine off of any other negligee worn in your vicinity.

A wise man changes his mind; a vicious one, his principles.

Mackinaws for men and boys. Many styles and patterns to select from. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$10.00 and every one a bargain. At Mirlan's.

WANTED—Situation wanted by a young man of good character. Would like steady position in store. Best of references. Address "A" Progress.

WANTED—A good cook. Small family. Good wages. Inquire at Progress D 10-11

Be Truthful Fixing Up Your Ad.

By BREEN.

When you write your ad. you may expatiate. But you must be truthful. People are quick to see the truth in an ad. If you advertise dollar bills for 99 cents the people know there is something wrong.

Make your ad. attractive, but make it reasonable too.

Don't make the fatal mistake of promising too much. You lose both ways.

Quick witted people will not buy. Those who do buy will revile you.

Above all things, be truthful in your ads.

OWN YOUR OWN BUSINESS—Responsible Man Wanted to Operate Washing Machines and Wholesale Chewing Gum; small capital; part time; large profits. Chic-Mint Gum Company, Wilmington, Del.

USEFUL HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS

Christmas Gifts That Do Not Suit Will Be Exchanged Or Money Refunded

THE "SERVICE" IDEA

The idea of "Store Service" involves much more than "waiting on" you courteously. Any store can give that service; and most of the stores do give it.

"Service," as we understand it, and give it, goes much farther. It begins at the source; takes your needs into account long before you do; provides not merely goods to sell, for you to buy, but goods that you ought to buy; showing you these goods and making it impossible for you to go wrong in your selection through lack of knowledge or judgment.

When a man comes into this store we show him what he calls for and tell him all about it; we add our knowledge to his wishes, and, if he wants suggestions, we give them fully and intelligently. He must be satisfied whether he buys or not.

When a woman comes into this store to buy for a man or boy, we show her what he ought to have and tell her why he ought to have it, informing her fully as to styles and prices.

When a child comes into this store we feel duty bound to take the place of his parents, and serve him to the very best interest both of himself and his parents.

Our "service" is better now than ever before; made better by our beautiful new store, since last Christmas we have nearly trebled the capacity of our old store, we now occupy three floors, our lighting system cannot be equalled in any store in this part of the country. On our main floor we have over 5,500 candle power of the new Nitrogen filled lights, you can shop as well in the evening as in daytime in this Daylight Store, the beautiful wardrobe equipment throughout the store enables our increased force of trained and competent salesmen to wait on you promptly.

We feel sure that you will appreciate this service, particularly now during the Christmas rush, when bad service would be so vexatious.

NOW FOR A SAFE CHRISTMAS GIVE USEFUL GIFTS.

Make out your Christmas list today; check the items you wish to buy, and bring it with you to this store.

OUR CHRISTMAS LIST.

Smoking Jackets—Nice two toned jackets as low as \$3; finer ones up to \$10.00.

Bath Robes—Wools and merinos at \$3 to \$10. Turkish Terry Robes with slippers and towels to match, \$5.00.

Combination Sets — Handkerchief, tie and socks to match.

Suspenders and Garters to match at 50c and 75c.

Ties and Socks to match. Suspenders — Fine Suspenders, in pretty Xmas boxes at 50c.

Slippers—Men's Slippers at 50c to \$2 Ladies' Felt Slippers, plain or fur trimmed at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Men's Shoes—Florsheim, Walkover, Beacon and Endicott, Johnson Co. Shoes, all leathers, the latest styles, \$2.50 to \$6.00.

Ladies' Shoes—Walkover and other makes, all leathers, \$2 to \$4.

Boy's Shoes—High Cut Calf Shoes, tan and black, \$2 to \$3.50; Beacon Dress Shoes, \$3.

Men's Socks—Fine list and silks at 25c to \$1 a pair; Interwoven Hosiery in beautiful Xmas boxes, \$1 a box; 4 pairs to a box.

Mufflers—Knitted silks with fringed ends, solid colors and fancy combinations, \$2 to \$4.50.

Bradley and Phoenix Mufflers at 50c.

Boy's Clothing—Suits with two pair trousers at \$3.50 to \$10.

Knicker Trousers, 50c to \$2.

Mackinaw Coats, sizes 6 to 19, at \$4 to \$8.00.

Overcoats, \$3 to \$15.

Blouse Waists, 50c to \$1.

Men's Clothing—Suits and Overcoats, latest styles, from Kuppenheimer, Michael Stearn & Co., and Style Plus.

Raincoats from \$5 up.

Mackinaw Coats from \$5 to \$10.

Shirts — Shapiro's Special Shirts, \$1.25; Eclipse Shirts, \$1 to \$2; Bates Street Shirts, \$1.50 and \$2.00; Silk Shirts, \$2.50 to \$7.00.

Pajamas—Mercerized Soisette Outing flannel and silk, solid tints and stripes from \$1 to \$5; Night Shirts, 50c to \$1.

Neckwear — Great special in 50c Neckwear; fine silks in light colored holiday patterns; also all the latest things in novelty effects.

Finer Neckwear up to \$2; also big line of 25c and 39c Ties.

Knitted Neckwear, 50c to \$1.

Men's Jewelry — Scarf pins, cuff links, studs, fobs, etc., in sterling silver, pearl and gold. Watches, rings, bracelets, etc.

Men's Gloves—Dressed and undressed kids; Suedes and Mochas, unlined, silk lined and fleece lined, \$1 to \$3; fur lined at \$4; Auto gloves, \$1 to \$2.50

Sweaters — Men's Sweater Coats, with or without collar, \$1 to \$8.50; Boy's Sweater Coats, 50c to \$3.50.

Handkerchiefs—Men's Initial Handkerchiefs in fine cambric linen and silk with hemstitched borders, 15c, 25c and 50c. Plain linen handkerchiefs, 25c to 75c. Novelty silks with fancy borders and centers at 50c.

Fine line of Ladies' Handkerchiefs. Leather Goods — Men's Traveling Bags and Suit Cases, with or without toilet articles, \$5 to \$10. Collar Bags, purses, cigarette cases, cigar cases, necktie holders, bill books, ladies' hand bags.

Men's Traveling Sets—Calf or pigskin cases, moire, or plain silk linings, military toilet articles or full sets at \$2.50 to \$8.

Hats and Caps—Shapiro's Special Hats at \$2 and \$3; Stetson's at \$3.50 to \$5; Crofut and Knapp Hats, \$3.50; Men's and Boy's Caps, the famous "Hyde" Cap, 50c to \$2.

Umbrellas — Men's and Ladies'; serges and taffeta silks, \$1 to \$6; Children's Umbrellas, 50c to \$1; Canes, 50c to \$3.

Underwear — Cotton and wool, single garments, 50c to \$2.00; Munsing Union Suits, \$1 to \$3.50; Children's Munsing Union Suits, 50c to \$1.50.

CHRISTMAS BOXES

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